

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Hiroko Ueda	Art Unit	: 4171
Serial No.	: 10/565,324	Examiner	: Darcy D Laclair
Filed	: January 20, 2006	Conf. No.	: 2203
Title	: Water-absorbent Resin Composition And Method For Producing Thereof, And Absorbent Material And Absorbent Product Using Thereof		

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL ACTION OF DECEMBER 31, 2008

In response to the office action dated December 31, 2008 ("Office Action"),  
please amend the above-identified application as follows: